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In re Application of: Bauer et al.

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 7, 2006, please amend the
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